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ಹುಟ್ಟು ಹಬ್ಬದ ಶುಭವನೆ ಹೇಳುವೆವು ।
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ನಮ್ಮ ಜೊತೆಯಾಗಿ ಬಾ ॥

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ಮತ್ತೆ ಮರಳಿ ಮನೆಗೆ ಹೋಗಲು
ಸ್ನೇಹದಿಂದ ದೂರವಾಗಲು
ದುಃಖದಲಿ ನಾವು ಮುಳುಗುತ
ಬರುವ ಶಿಬಿರದಲಿ ಕಾಣುವ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾ
ನಾವು ಹೊರಡುವೆವು ಭಾರದ ಹೆಜ್ಜೆ ಹಾಕುತ್ತಾ । ೩ ।

ನವ ಶಕ್ತಿಯು ನಮ್ಮದಾಗಲು
ನಿಸ್ವಾರ್ಥದಿ ದೇಶಸೇವೆ–ಈಶಸೇವೆ ನಾವು ಮಾಡಲು
ನಿನ್ನ ಹರಕೆಯ ನಾವು ಕೇಳುತ್ತಾ
ಈ ಹುಟ್ಟು ಹಬ್ಬದಿ ಬಿ.ಪಿ. ತಾತಂಗೆ ಈ ಶಿಲ್ಪಿಗೆ
ಶುಭಗೀತೆಯ
ನಾವು ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ಸ್ ಗೈಡ್ಸ್ ಶಿಲೆಗಳು ಸೇರಿ ಹಾಡುವೆವು । ೪ ।

ಶ್ಯಾಮಸುಂದರ ವಿ. ಕುಷ್ಟಗಿ
ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಪತಿ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್, ಮೈಸೂರು

ಬೇಡನ್ ಪೊವೆಲ್‌ರ ಜನ್ಮ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆ ನೆಹರೂ ಜನ್ಮಶತಾಬ್ಧಿ

ಆನೇಕಲ್‌ನ ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಪದವಿಪೂರ್ವ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಭಾಸ್ಕರ್ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ದಳದ ಆಶ್ರಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಫೆ. ೨೨ರಂದು ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗೈಡ್‌ದಳದ ಸ್ಥಾಪಕ ಬೇಡನ್ ಪೊವೆಲ್‌ರ ಜನ್ಮದಿನಾಚರಣೆ ಹಾಗೂ ನಮ್ಮ ನೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿಯಾಗಿದ್ದ ಪಂಡಿತ ಜವಹರಲಾಲ್ ನೆಹರೂ ಅವರ ಜನ್ಮ ಶತಾಬ್ಧಿಯನ್ನು ವಿಜೃಂಭಣೆಯಿಂದ ಆಚರಿಸಿದರು.

ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಆವರಣದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ ಸಮಾರಂಭದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆಯನ್ನು ಹಿರಿಯ ಅಧ್ಯಾಪಕ ವಿ. ವಿ. ರಾಘವನ್ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರೆ ಪ್ರಾಂಶುಪಾಲ ಹೆಚ್. ವಿ. ಪ್ರಸನ್ನ ಕುಮಾರ್ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅತಿಥಿಗಳಾಗಿದ್ದರು.

ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಬಾಲಕ ಎಸ್. ನಾಗೇಂದ್ರ ಅವರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾಪಕರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರೆ ಹಿರಿಯ ಸ್ಕೌಟರ್ ಕೆ. ವೆಂಕಟೇಶ ಮೂರ್ತಿ ಅವರು ನೆಹರೂ ಅವರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಬಾಲಕ ಎಸ್. ನಾಗರಾಜ ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿದರೆ, ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಬಾಲಕ ಆರ್. ಕೆ. ಚಂದ್ರಶೇಖರ ವಂದನೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಪರಿಷತ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾಗಿ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕರ ಆಯ್ಕೆ

ಕನಕಪುರದ ಶ್ರೀ ನಿರ್ವಾಣಸ್ವಾಮಿ ವಸತಿ ಪ್ರೌಢಶಾಲೆಯ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಶಿಕ್ಷಕ ಶ್ರೀ ಎಲ್ಲೇಗೌಡ ಬೆಸಗರಹಳ್ಳಿ ಅವರು ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಕನ್ನಡ ಸಾಹಿತ್ಯ ಪರಿಷತ್ತಿನ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರಾಗಿ ಚುನಾಯಿತರಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಸಮಾರೋಪ

ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ ೯–೩೦ಕ್ಕೆ ನಡೆದ ಸಮಾರೋಪ ಸಮಾರಂಭಕ್ಕೆ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಆಯುಕ್ತ ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ಪಿ. ದೀನದಯಾಳು ನಾಯ್ಡು, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪರಿಷತ್ ಉಪಾಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡಾ । ಎಂ. ಶಂಕರ ನಾಯಕ್, ಡಿ. ಡಿ. ಪಿ. ಐ. ಶ್ರೀ ಹೆಚ್. ಎನ್. ರಾಮಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಐಯಂಗಾರ್, ಡಿ. ವೈ. ಎಸ್. ಪಿ. ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಪುಟ್ಟಾಚಾರ್, ತಹಸೀಲ್ದಾರ್ ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಆರ್. ಕೃಷ್ಣನ್, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪರಿಷತ್ ಸದಸ್ಯರಾದ ಶ್ರೀ ಸು. ತ. ರಾಮೇಗೌಡ, ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ನಾಗರತ್ನಮ್ಮ ಅವರು ಆಗಮಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಸಂಸ್ಥಾಪಕರ ಜನ್ಮದಿನಾಚರಣೆ

ಮಾಯಸಂದ್ರದ ಮಹಾತ್ಮ ಗಾಂಧಿ ಮುಕ್ತ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗೈಡ್ ತಂಡವು ಫೆ. ೨೨ರಂದು ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಸ್ಥಾಪಕ ಲಾರ್ಡ್ ಬೇಡನ್ ಪೊವೆಲ್ ಅವರ ಜನ್ಮ ದಿನಾಚರಣೆ ಮತ್ತು ಆಲೋಚನಾ ದಿನ ಆಚರಿಸಿದರು.

ತಂಡದ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗೈಡ್‌ಗಳು, ನೆಹ್ರೂ ಪ್ರೌಢ ಶಾಲೆಯ ಮತ್ತು ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಹೈಯರ್ ಪ್ರೈಮರಿ ಶಾಲೆಯ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗೈಡ್‌ಗಳು ಮೆರವಣಿಗೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ನಂತರ ನಡೆದ ಸಭೆಯ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆಯನ್ನು ಹಿರಿಯ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಹಾಗೂ ಮಾಜಿ ಶಾಸಕ ಎಂ. ಎನ್. ರಾಮಣ್ಣ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಪದವಿಪೂರ್ವ ಕಾಲೇಜಿನ ಪ್ರಾಚಾರ್ಯ ಜಿ. ಗುರುಮಲ್ಲಪ್ಪ, ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಶಾಲೆಯ ಮುಖ್ಯೋಪಾಧ್ಯಾಯ ರಾಜಶೇಖರ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗೈಡ್ ರೋಹಿಣಿ ಅವರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾಪಕರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮತ್ತು ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದರು.

ವಿವಿಧ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ರಾಮಣ್ಣ ಅವರು ಪ್ರಮಾಣಪತ್ರಗಳನ್ನು ನೀಡಿದರು.

ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಮಾಸ್ಟರ್ ಎಂ. ಜಿ. ಉಮರ್‌ದರಾಜ್ ಅವರು ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿದರೆ, ತಂಡದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಮಾ. ಸು. ಅನಂತ ವಂದನಾರ್ಪಣೆ ಮಾಡಿದ ನಂತರ ಎಲ್ಲರಿಗೂ ಸಿಹಿ ತಿಂಡಿಗಳನ್ನು ಹಂಚಲಾಯಿತು.

ರೋವರ್ಸ್ ತಂಡದ ಉದ್ಘಾಟನೆ

ಕೋಲಾರ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಫೆ.೧೧ರಂದು ಶ್ರೀಸಾಮ್ರಾಟ್ ರೋವರ್ಸ್ ತಂಡವನ್ನು ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಖಜಾಂಚಿ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ವಿ. ಶಂಕರಪ್ಪನವರು ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿದರು.

ಸಮಾರಂಭದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆಯನ್ನು ಡಾ॥ ಗೋವಿಂದ ರಾಜು ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆಯುಕ್ತೆ (ಗೈಡ್) ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಶಾರದಮ್ಮ ಸೀತಪ್ಪ ಹಾಗೂ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಸಹಾಯಕ ಸಂಘಟನಾ ಆಯುಕ್ತ (ಸ್ಕೌ) ಕೆ. ತಿಮ್ಮಪ್ಪ ಅವರು ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅತಿಥಿಗಳಾಗಿ ಆಗಮಿಸಿ ಶುಭ ಹಾರೈಸಿದರು.

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ ಶ್ರೀ ಚಲ್ಲಯ್ಯ, ಕೋಲಾರ ದಕ್ಷಿಣ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ ಶ್ರೀ ಪಂಚರತ್ನಂ ಅವರು ವಿಶೇಷ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿತರಾಗಿ ಸಮಾರಂಭದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ತಂಡದ ನಾಯಕ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಆರ್. ಸುರೇಶ್ ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿದರೆ, ತಂಡದ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಶ್ರೀ ಆದಿನಾರಾಯಣ ಮೂರ್ತಿ ವಂದನೆ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದರು.

ಸಚಿವರ ಹಾಜರಾತಿ

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಸಚಿವ ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಚಂದ್ರಶೇಖರ್, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪರಿಷತ್ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಶ್ರೀ ಸಿ. ನಾರಾಯಣ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಚನ್ನಪಟ್ಟಣದ ವಿಧಾನ ಸಭೆ ಸದಸ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀ ವರದೇಗೌಡ, ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪರಿಷತ್ ಸದಸ್ಯರಾದ ಸರ್ವಶ್ರೀ ಗುಂಡಪ್ಪ ಮತ್ತು ಸಿದ್ದರಾಮು ಅವರು ಹಾಜರಿದ್ದರು.

ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಆಯುಕ್ತ (ಸ್ಕೌ) ಮತ್ತು ಶಿಕ್ಷಣ ಇಲಾಖೆಯ ಉಪನಿರ್ದೇಶಕ ಶ್ರೀ ಹೆಚ್. ಎನ್. ರಾಮಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಅವರು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿತರನ್ನು ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿದರು.

ಇವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಿದ ೧೫೦೦ ಗೈಡ್ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಗಳು ರಸ್ತೆ ರಿಪೇರಿ, ಮರಗಿಡಗಳನ್ನು ನೆಡುವುದು, ಪಾರ್ಥೇನಿಯಂ ಕೀಳುವುದು, ಸ್ವಚ್ಛತೆ ಮುಂತಾದ ಸಮಾಜ ಸೇವಾ ಚಟುವಟಿಕೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ತೊಡಗಿದ್ದರು.

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ಸ್ ಗೈಡ್ಸ್ ಮೇಳ

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಭಾರತ ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗೈಡ್ಸ್ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಆಶ್ರಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಕಳೆದ ಡಿಸೆಂಬರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಎಂಟು ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಸ್ಕೌಟ್ಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ಗೈಡ್ಸ್ ಮೇಳಗಳನ್ನು ನಡೆಸಿ ಈ ವರ್ಷದ ಜನವರಿ ೩ರಿಂದ ೫ರವರೆಗೆ ಚನ್ನಪಟ್ಟಣದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಸಲಾಯಿತು.

ಬಿಜಾಪುರದಲ್ಲಿ ರೋವರ್ಸ್ ದಳ

ಬಿಜಾಪುರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಫೆಬ್ರುವರಿ ೧೧ರಂದು 'ಶ್ರೀ ಷಣ್ಮುಖಾರೂಢ ರೋವರ್ ಕ್ರೂ' ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಲಾಯಿತು.

ಡಾ॥ ಶರದ್ ಜಿಗಜಿನಿ ಎಂ.ಡಿ. ಅವರು ದಳವನ್ನು ಉದ್ಘಾಟಿಸಿದರೆ, ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಡಿ. ಕೊಪ್ಪ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷತೆ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದರು.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಜನ ಸೇವೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅರ್ಥಪೂರ್ಣ ಆರು ವರ್ಷಗಳು

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರವು ಕಳೆದ ಆರು ವರ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಹಾಗೂ ಪ್ರೌಢ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಸುಮಾರು 1,984 ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ. ಗಳನ್ನು ವೆಚ್ಚ ಮಾಡಿದೆ. ಇದೇ ಅಲ್ಲದೆ ಸುಮಾರು 70 ಲಕ್ಷ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಉಚಿತ ಪಠ್ಯ ಪುಸ್ತಕ ಹಾಗೂ ಸಮವಸ್ತ್ರ ಪೂರೈಕೆ, ಹಾಗೂ ವಯಸ್ಕರ ಶಿಕ್ಷಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಮುನ್ನಡೆ ಸಾಧಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ರೈತರುಗಳ ಆದಾಯ ಎರಡರಷ್ಟು ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗಲು ಸರ್ಕಾರ ನೀಡಿರುವ ಕೊಡುಗೆಗಳಾದ ತೆರಿಗೆ ರಿಯಾಯಿತಿ, ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ, ಮಧ್ಯಮಾವಧಿ ಹಾಗೂ ದೀರ್ಘಾವಧಿ ಸಾಲಗಳು ಕಾರಣವಾಗಿವೆ. ಇಂದು ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಮೂಲಕ ಸಾಲ ಪಡೆದು ಕೇವಲ ಶೇ. 10 ರಿಂದ 15 ರಷ್ಟು ಬಡ್ಡಿ ಕೊಡುವಂತಾಗಿ, ಸಾಲದ ಕಂತುಗಳನ್ನು ಕ್ರಮವರಿತು ಪಾವತಿ ಮಾಡಿದಲ್ಲಿ ಶೇ. 7 ರಷ್ಟು ಬಡ್ಡಿ ಮಾತ್ರ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಆಹಾರೋತ್ಪಾದನೆ ಯೋಜನೆಯನ್ವಯ ಉತ್ತಮ ಗುಣಮಟ್ಟದ ಬೀಜ, ಗೊಬ್ಬರ, ಹಾಗೂ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಮಾರ್ಗದರ್ಶನಗಳನ್ನು ಸುಲಭವಾಗಿ ಪಡೆಯುವಂತಾಗಿದೆ. 1988–89ರಲ್ಲಿ 3,58,000 ಕ್ವಿಂಟಾಲ್‌ಗಳಷ್ಟು ಬಿತ್ತನೆ /ಬೀಜ ಹಂಚಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಒಣ ಬೇಸಾಯ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಯೋಜನೆಯನ್ವಯ ಪ್ರತಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ 25,000 ಹೆಕ್ಟೇರ್ ಜಮೀನನ್ನು ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪಡಿಸಲಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ.

ರಾಜ್ಯ ಕಳೆದ ನಾಲ್ಕು ವರ್ಷಗಳಿಂದ ತೀವ್ರ ಬರಕ್ಕೆ ತುತ್ತಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಅಗಾಧ ಪ್ರಮಾಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಬರ ಪರಿಹಾರ ಕ್ರಮ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಶಾಶ್ವತ ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಆಸ್ತಿಗಳನ್ನು ನಿರ್ಮಿಸಿತಲ್ಲದೆ ಜಾನುವಾರುಗಳ ರಕ್ಷಣೆಗೆ ಮೇವು, ಗೋಶಾಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ತೆರೆಯಿತು.

1983 ರಿಂದ ಈವರೆಗೆ ಒಟ್ಟು 58,224 ಕೊಳವೆ ಬಾವಿಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊರೆಯಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಪರಿಣಾಮ : 5,124 ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸುರಕ್ಷಿತ ಕುಡಿಯುವ ನೀರು ದೊರಕಿದೆ. ಕಳೆದ ಆರು ವರ್ಷಗಳಲ್ಲಿ 6,204 ಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಹಾಗೂ 3,256 ಸಣ್ಣ ಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳಿಗೆ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿ ಒದಗಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. 1983 ರಿಂದ 1988ರ ಕೊನೆಯವರೆಗೆ ಒಟ್ಟು 5,38,629 ಪಂಪ್ ಸೆಟ್‌ಗಳಿಗೆ ವಿದ್ಯುಚ್ಛಕ್ತಿ ಯನ್ನು ಪೂರೈಸಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸರ್ಕಾರವು ದಿನಗೂಲಿಯನ್ನು ಕನಿಷ್ಟ 7 ರೂ. ಗಳಿಂದ 12 ರೂ. ಗಳಿಗೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಿದೆ. ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದ ಗ್ರಾಮಾಂತರ ಪ್ರದೇಶಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಹಸಿರು ಕಾರ್ಡ್ ಮತ್ತು ಕೇಸರಿ ಕಾರ್ಡ್ ಮೂಲಕ ರಿಯಾಯಿತಿ ದರದಲ್ಲಿ ಆಹಾರ ಧಾನ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು ಹಾಗೂ ಬಟ್ಟೆಯನ್ನು ಜನತೆ ಪಡೆಯುವಂತಾಗಿದೆ. ನಿರ್ಗತಿಕ ವಿಧವೆಯರಿಗೆ ಮಾಸಾಶನ, ಕೃಷಿ ಕಾರ್ಮಿಕ ಮಹಿಳೆಯರಿಗೆ ಭತ್ಯ, ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ಜನರಿಗೆ ಆಶಾಕಿರಣ ವಿಮೆಯೋಜನೆ, ಅಪಘಾತಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದವರಿಗೆ ಸಹಾಯ ಸೌಲಭ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು ಒದಗಿಸಲಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ.

1987ರಲ್ಲಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪರಿಷತ್ತು ಮತ್ತು ಮಂಡಲ ಪಂಚಾಯತ್‌ಗಳಿಗೆ ಚುನಾವಣೆ ನಡೆದು ಅಧಿಕಾರದ ವಿಕೇಂದ್ರಿಕರಣವಾಗಿದೆ. ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಜಾರಿಗೆ ತಂದ ಚುನಾವಣಾ ಸುಧಾರಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಹಲವು ಅನುಕರಣೀಯ ಕ್ರಮಗಳಾದ, ಶೇ. 25 ಮಹಿಳೆಯರಿಗೆ ಪ್ರಾತಿನಿಧ್ಯ, ಹಾಗೂ 18ನೇ ವಯಸ್ಸಿನವರಿಗೆ ಮತದಾನದ ಹಕ್ಕು ನೀಡಿರುವುದು.

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರವು ಮಹಿಳೆಯರ ಮತ್ತು ಅಲ್ಪಸಂಖ್ಯಾತರ ಸಹಾಯಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಒಂದು ಪ್ರತ್ಯೇಕ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರವನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿದೆ. ಅಂತೆಯೇ ವಿಶೇಷ ಘಟಕ ಯೋಜನೆ, ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜಾತಿಯ ಹಾಗೂ ಪರಿಶಿಷ್ಟ ಜನಾಂಗದ ಜನತೆಯ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರೋತ್ಸಾಹ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಆಡಳಿತ ಯಂತ್ರವನ್ನು ಚುರುಕುಗೊಳಿಸುವುದಲ್ಲದೆ ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ನೌಕರ, ಜನರ ಸೇವೆಗೆ ಬದ್ಧನಾಗಿರಬೇಕೆಂದು ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಬಯಸಿ ಲೋಕಾಯುಕ್ತ ನೇಮಿಸಿದೆ.

ಕೇಂದ್ರ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಹಾಗೂ ಯೋಜನಾ ಆಯೋಗದ ಸಮೀಕ್ಷಾ ವರದಿಗಳ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಸರ್ಕಾರವು 20 ಅಂಶಗಳ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ರಮ, ಖುಷ್ಕಿ ಭೂಮಿ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ, ಎಣ್ಣೆಕಾಳು ಉತ್ಪಾದನೆ, ಸಾಮಾಜಿಕ ಅರಣ್ಯೀಕರಣ ಹಾಗೂ ಕುಟುಂಬ ಕಲ್ಯಾಣ ಯೋಜನೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಥಮಸ್ಥಾನ ಪಡೆದಿರುವುದು ಹೆಮ್ಮೆ ಪಡುವ ವಿಷಯವಾಗಿದೆ.

— ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ವಾರ್ತೆ

February 22 : Peace Week, Founder's Day and a 100th Anniversary

— *Courtesy* : **World Scouting News**

This month sees the celebration of "Peace Week" beginning February 22 which commemorates the birth of Lord Baden-Powell. While activities are taking place around the world in connection with this theme, Scouts and Girl Guides will also be remembering the 100th Anniversary of the birth of Olave, Lady Baden-Powell, the World Chief Guide, who was born on the same date.

Olave and Robert met in 1912 and married the same year. Lady Baden-Powell soon became actively involved in the Guide and Scout Movements. In 1916, she began to organise the Girl Guide Movement in Sussex, England and the same year was appointed Chief Commissioner. In 1919 Olave, Lady Baden-Powell formed the International Council which later developed into the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts (WAGGGS). In 1930 she was appointed World Chief Guide.

She declared : "The late twenties and early thirties really saw us reach the peak of our work together as husband and wife in the service of our brother and sister Movements".

In 1932, Olave, Lady Baden-Powell was created a Dame Grand Cross of the Order of the British Empire.

After Lord Baden-Powell's death in 1941, Olave, Lady Baden-Powell devoted herself to the Movement until 1970 when she was forced to stop travelling due to ill-health. She died on June 25, 1977 and was buried along side her husband in Nyeri, Kenya.

The World Chief Guide's work was recognized in numerous honours and decorations awarded to her by Heads of State, Kings, Queens, Presidents and Mayors of Cities all over world.

In a parting message in her autobiography "Window on My Heart" she said "Discipline yourself daily by having a plan .... not just vague, wishful thinking. Commit yourself daily to doing something however small, for somebody else, for by making other people happy you will find true happiness yourself".

Members of WAGGGS now comprise more than 8 million members around the World.

Peace March By Scouts & Guides

Five hundred Scouts and Guides of various schools in Bangalore participated in a Peace March organised by the state head quarters under the leadership of Sri Paul Wilkins Lt. and Sri S. Audikesavalu S.O.C. (S) on Sunday, 26th Feb. '89 afternoon.

Sri V. P. Deenadayalu Naidu, S. C. C. and National Commissioner (S) led the march which began from Vidhana Soudha which concluded at the premises of the state head quarters.

After having their tea, the children participated in the All Faith's Prayer. Smt. Leeladevi R. Prasad, S. C. (G), Sri K. B. Shanmukhappa, State Secretary, Lt. Col. V. G. Hari Dev Katkar D. C. (S) and Smt. Geetha Nataraj D. C. (G) also participated in the function. Sarvasri B. R. Ramachandra Rao and M. G. Kodandaram had co-ordinated the Peace March.

A page for Patrol Leaders and Assistant Patrol Leaders

It isn't easy being a Patrol Leader. You've the responsibility of running a patrol and looking after those in your Patrol to see that they get through the Awards. You have your own progress to think of and, to top it all, you have the responsibility for the standards, programme and disciplinary matters of the Troop in conjunction with the Scout Leader and Assistant Scout Leaders.

You do, don't you? And if you don't you must ask yourself the question why don't you? The policy of the Scout Movement is for each Troop to have a Patrol Leaders' Council of which you and your Assistant Patrol Leader are an important part. If you aren't, then why not? Is it that you're not interested, not responsible enough, can't be bothered or simply don't care?

Is the programme to your liking? Is what you are doing and the way you are doing it the best way? Or is it just left to the Scout Leader to get on with it and you just joining in, in a half-hearted manner?

It is important to remember that the Scout Leader and Assistants are, perhaps, sometimes pushed for time and have to do what they think best for the Troop in the time and with the equipment readily to hand. There are more Patrol Leaders than adult leaders in the majority of Troops around the country and it should be reasonably easy to share the work load to the benefit of all of you and, in consequence, produce better and more relevant Scouting for everyone.

Far too often, your leaders are working blind. You don't say what you do want and very often complain about what you are getting so they get little or no encouragement to change things for the better. It can often be a case of hit and miss. All that can be hoped for is that there will be more hits than misses.

You have the remedy in your hands—working together to give the best that can be given. And, you should always remember, there is other help available. People who are very often neglected whose help can be invaluable to ensure that the quality of your programme is the best. Who are they? They are the District Scout Fellowship who are often written off as a bunch of old fogeys who are past it.

But these so-called 'old fogeys' can be anything from eighteen years old upwards. Old at eighteen? Hardly! They may be past President Scouts who are at college or apprentices who cannot devote a full-time regular commitment to Scouting. They may be people who have retired and, in consequence, have a life time of experience that they are ready—and willing—to share, it doesnot really matter what their age happens to be, what really matters is that they are ready to help you!

They can help on a short-term basis and so many have a tremendous amount of Scouting skills to offer, skills that your Leaders may not possess. After all—they can's possibly know everything, no matter how much they try and Scout Fellowship Members may just have that additional expertise which can make it possible for that extra special Scouting activity to happen.

The Scout Training Programme demands a lot of specialist skill and, to many Troops, it is simply not possible to provide them—particularly when there is no one with that particular expertise within the Troop. However, the Scout Fellowship could well have someone with the ability or the corrections to make it happen. Why don't you and your Leaders talk to them? It could make all the difference!

Peace, understanding and all that....

One of the key features of Scouting—along with our Promise and Law and the Patrol System of training-is our international aspect. We are all Members of a Movement over 16 million strong in more than 150 countries and territories of the world.

This is a strength that we recognise by investing our Members into "The world-wide brotherhood of Scouts' and presenting them with a World Membership badge.

But it is, of course, more than that, Why are we an International Movement?

I Imagine most of us have heard the story of the good deed done by a London Scout to an American visitor who was so impressed that he introduced Scouting into the United States – with considerable success! But Scouting didn't just grow as naturally as this to become an international Movement – its growth was stimulated by our Founder, Baden–Powell, for very good reasons.

Common Ideal:

He, like so many people was horrified by the First world war. As a result he had a vision of Scouting bringing the youth of the world together in a common ideal of understanding and he believed that, by meeting and knowing each other, they could become a force for future world peace.

During the twenties and thirties the Founder and Lady Baden–Powell travelled extensively, promoting the cause of Scouting and watched it develop across the world. At the Jamboree in Holland, just before the Second World War, his speech emphasised the force that Scouting could be for world peace. A vision that was grimly shattered in 1939.

But after the war, this worldwide Movement continued to grow again in countries across the world and it is still seen by many people as a channel and opportunity for peace and human understanding.

Resolution:

This vision of our Founder, which is still very much alive, was reflected in Melbourne this year at the World Scout Conference, just after the Jamboree, when a resolution was passed calling on all member Associations to remember the Founder's vision – and the practical possibilities – of achieving a better understanding of each other, thus contributing to peace. It was recommended that Associations gave serious thought to this aspect of our programme during the week of the Founder's birthday – February 19–25, 1989.

The World Guide Conference had passed a similar resolution the previous year.

So, both the World Movements have emphasised their commitment to peace and human understanding. Already many Associations have made plans to celebrate the event with rallies, peace programmes, joint programmes, camps and other events.

In the United Kingdom, a small group has put together some programme ideas to help colonies, Packs, Troops and Units to mark Scouting's commitment to the ideal of peace and understanding and in the Section Supplements in this and the next

issue of SCOUTING you will find suggestions to help you mark this, special week in February.

But this is only, the start and it is intended to develop many ideas embodied in the World Conference resolution and to help all Leaders to continue to reflect the vision of the Founder in all our programmes and activities over the coming years.

Such ideas do, of course, need to have practical expression. After all, most of us will agree to the idea of peace and better understanding.

But what do we do to achieve it?

First, I think we have to understand that such ideas start with ourselves and our relationships with those near us. How do we get on with our fellow Leaders? What sort of atmosphere do we have in our Group and in our Section? Do we all relate happily with each other?

Then, how do we relate to the community of which we are part? Is Scouting part of this community – or apart from it?

Additionally, we need to help our Members understand and appreciate the differences within the community in which we live – the different ethnic groups, which bring such richness and variety to our society, as well as the different social and economic groups who live side by side with us.

The wider society, too, is an important tool and community development programmes in partnership with other parts of our own society (such as inner cities and rural areas) and with other societies (such as developing countries) are valuable expressions of peace and human understanding.

Inter-dependence is real:

The interdependence of various parts of a single society, as well as the interdependence of countries, is real and we need to help our Members to understand this, if we have an unfair proportion of world resources for our own use, it means others have less than they need. The ideals of peace and human understanding are expressed by beginning to learn about others, to join in partnership with others, to embrace the community of which we are part.

Fine ideals but, we believe, practical ideals, too, we are members of an international Family – one of the great international Movements of the world and one that consists of young people whose enthusiasm and ideals can be – and often are – harnessed to the cause of understanding which leads to peace. Scouting and Guiding is a channel through which these ideals can be expressed.

World Friendship Week 1989 is just the start of a continuing focus on peace and human understanding and it is hoped many Members will take part in some programme activity to help their understanding.

That marks a practical step towards the realisation of our Founder's vision and towards making the best use of our great international strength.

— MICHAEL BEACH
International Commissioner, U.K.
Courtesy – "Scouting"

To Cubmasters

Give us a song, Akela.

How often do you include singing as part of your Pack programme? Do you include it at all?

If not, then perhaps you might like to give it a try, after all, music, we are told, is the food of love and it is also a feast of fun and enjoyment.

One of the ways in which Scouting encourages us to have a good old sing-song, is by means of a camp fire. Usually, the Cub's first encounter with a camp fire takes place when he goes to Cub camp. Pack Holiday or attends an event organised within the Scout District. It is, probably, also a fact that he will be totally unrepared for what takes place at such a gathering – and that is a shame, when all that is needed is a little but of a 'taster' at Pack level.

It is not too difficult a task to get a bit of a sing-song going and you do not need to be a professionally trained singer. The idea is to encourage the boys in the Pack, to sing - not for you to sing a solo. If you, or any of your Assistant Leaders, are really not able to lead this type of activity, do not despair. As with all other aspects of Scouting, there will be other people in your District or neighbouring Districts, who will be able to assist.

The type of songs that are sung at camp fires or at an indoor sing-song, can vary from the traditional songs – the words to which can be found in any number of song books – to the songs that use a well-known tune with new words added. Examples of the newer type of song are given below in the hope that you will find the material useful.

John Brown's Home–(Tune: John Brown's Body)

Sing each verse three times, followed by the chorus once

1. Never play with matches at any time at all.

Chorus: or there may be an accident at home.

2. Don't let your curtains flap too near a lit gas stove.

3. Never hang a mirror on a wall above a fire.

4. Make sure people cannot fail on any slippery floor.

5. Always keep a metal guard in front of open fires.

6. Make sure pills and medicines are always locked away.

7. Make sure that the heaters can't fall over or catch fire.

8. Always renew an old flex if it should start to fray.

9. Be careful not to cut yourself when you open cans.

10. Don't leave your toys about to trip up other folk.

Action for health (Tune: She'll be coming round the mountain).

You should always brush your teeth clean ev'ry day.
You should always brush your teeth clean ev'ry day.
You should always brush your teeth clean, always brush your teeth clean.
Always brush your teeth clean ev'ry day.

CHORUS

And we all hope to be healthy all our lives.
Yes, we all hope to be healthy all our lives.
Yes, we all hope to be healthy, all hope to be healthy.

All hope to be healthy all our lives.

2. You should go to see the dentist twice a year.

3. You should always keep your hands and nails clean.

4. You should always breath correctly through your nose.

5. You should always use your hankie when you sneeze.

6. You should always wash your hands after the loo.

7. You should always eat a lot of fruit and veg.

8. You should exercise your body frequently.

We had great fun working out some actions to this song, and even more fun singing the song including the actions.

It should be kept in mind that camp fire singing allows the boys an opportunity to make their own entertainment. It also gives them an opportunity to entertain others by joining in with the rest of their Six to sing a song for the rest of the pack or for parents on an open evening. It can be a way of building confidence and of sharing pure enjoyment with others– and that is what we are all about. Isn't it.

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Tips to Unit Leaders

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BOY BEHAVIOUR

Scouts come in all shape
sizes personal make up and ability,
They are – Tall and Short
Thin and Fat
Clean and Soiled
Immature and Experienced
Sharp and dull
Timid and bold
Athletic and unco–ordinated
And all shades and degrees
Between these exteames.

Boys are very different from one another, yet they have similarity.

They dislike injustise, favouritism, sarcasm and insincerity. Most of them crave action and fun. They like to do things, but are impatient about listening to how to do them.

While boys want to be themselves, they hesitate to be different because they desire aceptance by the majority and feel that this acceptance comes through confirmity.

Thus, in boys, yet great paradox–many in the leadership of a unit we are concerned with both sides of this paradox. Our unit programmes must consider the simalirity that boys have. At the same time we need to work individualy with boys who have great personal differences.

KNOW YOUR SCOUTS

Each boy is an individual with a personality of his own. To be successful in accomplishing the goals of scouting, you need to really know each of your scouts :-

His problems
Mannerisms
Hopes
Outlook on his future
And Home situations.

It is your challenge to take each boy as he is and by understanding and friendly counsel, help guide him to realization of his potential. You cannot however, be all things to all boys. You cannot take the place of the church, the home, the temple, the mosque or the school.

It is not your function to try to solve their more complex problems. You should recognise them, though and try to steer the boy to those able to help him — parents, Teachers and religious leaders. To be effective in working with boys you need to really like them. Linking boys can be expressed in many ways :-

— In respect for them
In interest in them
In patience and enthusiasm and most of all
in taking time to listen to them.

KNOW YOURSELF : RATE YOURSELF

What are a few things your boys expect of their Scout Master?

What questions might they ask about your capacity for leadership?

Here are a few to try on yourself.

* Can you keep control of troop activities without losing your temper and spoiling the fun?
* Can you disagree without being disagreeable?
* Do you have a sense of humor? Can you take a joke on yourself in a good-a natured way?
* Do you find time to listen to those who want to tell you something or are you always so busy with the activities of the whole troop that you can't find time for a boy needing personal attention?
* Can Scouts depend on your word, even in the smallest things?
* Are you fair in all matters, never showing favoritism or injustice?
* Do you respect them-and accept them-even though you must reject some of their ideas or behavior?
* Can you freely give warranted praise without adding the word "but"? ("That's fine, but next time do better.")
* Do you really like Scout-age boys? How would the Scouts in your troop rate your leadership by these standards? It might be comforting for you to know that in the Boy Scouting study, Scouts were much more generous in their rating of leadership than were the Scoutmasters themselves. Boys will respond best to your leadership when they want to, not because they have to.

Understanding the 'BOY BEHAVIOR' the unit leaders may have to take a significant note of the problems, hopes and aspirations of boys in the Troop and try to assist them in solving. "*Case-study*" may be tried. To be continued.

SCOUTS & GUIDES

Taluka Level Rally of Virajpet was inaugurated by Dr. M. M. Chengappa, a leading physician and president, Cauvery Education Society, Gonikoppa at 4 p. m. on 13th Jan. at St. Anne's High School.

On the next day, the participants of the rally went on their route march accompanied by a Band Party carrying different play cards pertaining to National Integration and noble principles followed by Mahatma Gandhi. After the route march, tests were conducted in drawing composition, elocution, cooking etc.

Sri S. S. Rama Moorthy, a reputed advocate was the chief guest at the valedictory function and distributed the prizes to the winners in various competitions. Sri K. K. Subraya A. E. O. and A. D. C.(S) delivered vote of thanks.

Cubs in action in Puttur Olampics at Cub and Bulbul Utsav held in Puttur from 16th to 20th Nov. 1988.



Bulbuls in action in Puttur Olampics at Cub and Bulbul Utsav held in Puttur from 16th to 20th Nov. 1988.



PADMA BHUSHAN

Award to Sardar Lakshman Singh

We are glad to know that Sardar Lakshman Singh, our National Commissioner has been conferred with Padma Bhushan Award which was anounced on the Republic Day' 26th Jan. '89. We are grateful to the President of India and the Prime Minister for having recognised his services in the area of Youth Development.

On behalf of every one of you we sincerely congratulate Sardarji on being conferred this rare honour which he richly deserves.

NATIONAL YOUTHS

Award to Three of our members

You will be glad to know that the Prime Minister gave away National Youths Awards to fifteen young people chosen from all over the country for their contributions in the area of Community Service.

Out of them Kum. Shahazada Aziz, Ranger Leader, Sri Mohd. Emdadul Haque, Scout Master and Sri Stan Thekaekara, former Scout are the active members of our organisation.

At a colourful function, exclusively arranged for the purpose on 10th Jan., Smt. Margaret Alwa, Minister of state Youth Affairs and sports praised the organisation.

ADVENTUREOUS

Camp For Rovers

The district association of Chikmagalur had arranged a State Level Camp on Adventureous Nature at Wild Life Sanctuary, Muthodi from 19th to 22nd Jan. 1989.

Sri Parshuramappa, Range Forest Officer (Wild Life) inaugurated the Camp. Sri M. Halagappa, L. T. (S) and D. T. C. (S) welcomed the chief guest and the participants. In his inaugural address the chief guest briefed about the topography of the range and admired that Rovers attending the Camp to know about Forestry and Wild Life. Sri A. P. Nagesh Rao, A.L.T. (S) conveyed the vote of thanks.

Management Course for our Executives

The Management Course for Scout/ Guide Executives was held at the Administrative Training Institute 'Mysore recently, where twenty participants from seven states completed the assignment.

Sri Del Silvestre, Executive Commissioner of World Scout Bureau, Philiphines was the chief guest of the inaugural function held on 16th Jan. '89 where Sri Chiranjeev Singh, I.A.S. Director of the Institute inaugurated the course. Sri G. Ranga Rao, the Director of N. H. Q. welcomed the gathering and Sri V. P. Deenadayalu Naidu, S. C. C. and National Commissioner (S) proposed the vote of thanks.

Sri M. Chandrasekhar Minister for Education Govt. of Karnataka delivered the valedictory speech on 24th morning and expressed that Scouting and Guiding is a unique organisation which imparts discipline, dedication. He also appreciated that the organisation had thought of including Management also to develop managerial techniques to march towards 2001.

The state Head quarters had arranged the course under the joint auspicious of N. H. Q. and Asia Pacific Region Scout Bureau.

District Rally At Mysore City

The city district rally of Mysore was held on 21st Jan. '89. Seven hundred Guides, Scouts, Bulbuls, Cubs, Guiders, Scouters, Rangers and Rovers of Pioneer, Premier open units participated in the rally.

Sri S. Audikesavalu, S.O.C.(S) inaugurated the rally in the morning.

An impressive March Past by the participants was appreciated by the public.

Sri Del Silvestre, Regional Executive Commissioner, Asia Pacific Region, World Scout Bureau, Phillipines, was the chief guest at the valedictory function of the rally held at 5.00 p.m. He was happy to see the large gathering of children along with parents and well-wishers.

Dr. K. B. Gurumurthy, district secretary gave a brief report of the rally.

While distributing the prizes to the participants Sri Silvestre praised the smart turn out of children.

Sardar Lakshman Singh, National Commissioner blessed the children. Sarvasri V. P. Deenadayalu Naidu, chief Commissioner (S) India and S. C. C. Karnataka, Sri R. C. Sharma, S. C. C. Delhi, Mr. V. P. Dhawan, Advisor, World Scout Bureau A/P Region and G. Ranga Rao, Director, N. H. Q. participated in the function.

Annual Training Camp of H. A. L. Rovers

The annual camp of H. A L. Rovers was held at Darjeeling on 27th Oct. '88.

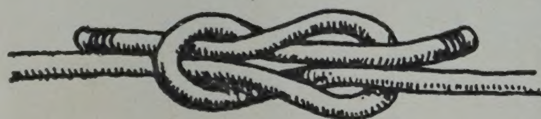
Twenty rovers under the leadership of Sri T. R. P. Naidu, Headquarters Commissioner for Rovers had gone to their annual camp.

Back - to - basics

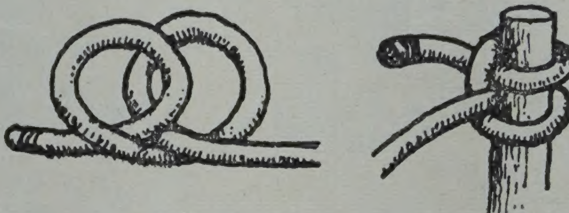
Basic . . . knotting

Tying ropes together is easy! Knowing *what* knot to use in *which* circumstances is a little more difficult — but not much! There are, literally, thousands of knots, hitches and bends but, fortunately, Scouts only need to know a very small percentage of these (although, for some, knotting has developed into a life-long hobby), here are just a few that most Scouts will come across at some time or other.

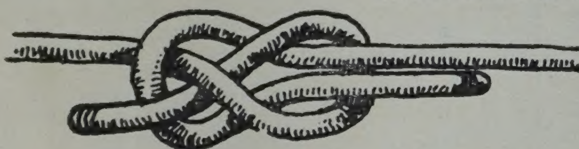
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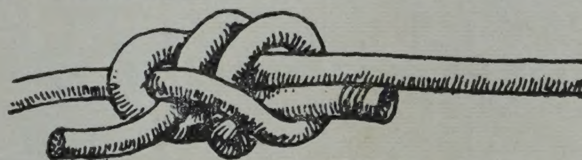


Clove Hitch

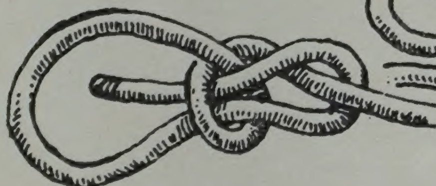


Sheet Bend (and Double Sheet Bend)





Bowline



Sheepshank

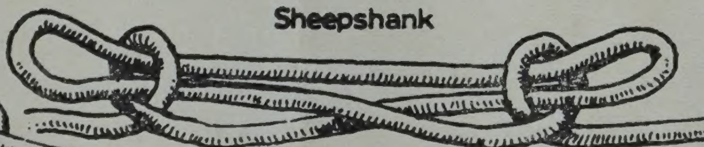
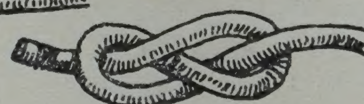
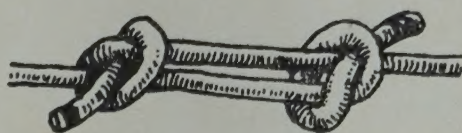
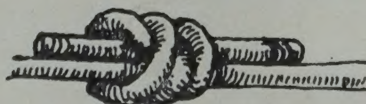


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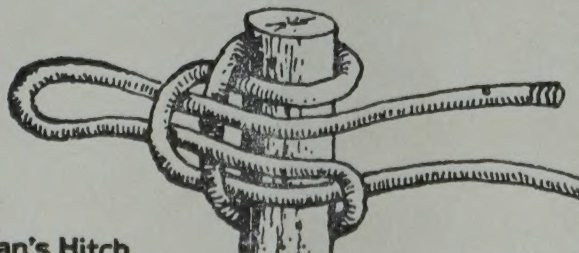
Fisherman's Knot







Marlinespike Hitch



Highwayman's Hitch

Remember there is absolutely no substitute for learning knots with a piece of rope — these pictures will help you but regular practice, until you can do them in the total dark and *know* they are correct, is the only answer.

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HANDY CALENDER

JAN OCT	MAY	AUG	FEB MAR NOV	JUN	SEP DEC	APR JUL	CALENDER 1989				
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	1	8	15	22	29
MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	2	9	16	23	30
TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	3	10	17	24	31
WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	4	11	18	25	—
THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	5	12	19	26	—
FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	6	13	20	27	—
SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	7	14	21	28	—

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